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PREVALENCE OF DISEASE.

No health department, State or local, can effectively prevent or control disease without knowledge of when, where, and under what conditions cases are occurring.

IN CERTAIN STATES AND CITIES.

SMALLPOX.

Texas—Galveston.

Surg. Bahrenburg, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph that during the week ended May 8, 1914, 4 cases of smallpox had been notified in Galveston, Tex.

Washington—Bellingham.

Acting Asst. Surg. Markley, of the Public Health Service, reported that during the month of April, 1914, 28 cases of smallpox had been notified in Bellingham, Wash.

Miscellaneous State Reports.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Arizona (Apr. 1-30):		
Counties—		
Mariposa	2	
Yuma	3	
Total	5	
Colorado (Apr. 1-30):		
Counties—		
Denver	9	
Jackson	5	
Larimer	1	
Las Animas	1	
Logan	5	
Montrose	1	
Otero	3	
Ouray	1	
Weld	13	
Yuma	2	
Total	41	
Idaho (Feb. 1-28):		
Counties—		
Ada	1	
Bannock	7	
Bingham	1	
Boise	21	
Bonneville	1	
Canyon	1	
Cassia	2	
Lewis	2	
Nez Perce	9	
Shoshone	21	
Twin Falls	1	
Total	67	
Idaho (Mar. 1-31):		
Counties—		
Ada	1	
Bannock	7	
Idaho (Mar. 1-31)—Continued.		
Counties—Continued.		
Bingham	2	
Blaine	1	
Bonneville	7	
Cassia	5	
Elmore	3	
Latah	4	
Lincoln	4	
Shoshone	2	
Total	36	
Montana (Mar. 1-31):		
Counties—		
Beaverhead	1	
Broadwater	1	
Blaine	2	
Carbon	7	
Cascade	14	
Chouteau	6	
Custer	2	
Dawson	6	
Deer Lodge	2	
Fergus	28	
Gallatin	9	
Granite	16	
Hill	3	
Lewis and Clark	1	
Meagher	1	
Missoula	1	
Park	1	
Rosebud	1	
Sanders	1	
Silver Bow	57	
Teton	3	
Valley	2	
Yellowstone	12	
Total	177	

SMALLPOX—Continued.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Austin, Tex	3		Little Rock, Ark	1	
Baltimore, Md	8		Los Angeles, Cal	1	
Buffalo, N. Y	1		Lynchburg, Va	7	
Butte, Mont	5		Massillon, Ohio	8	
Chicago, Ill	3		Milwaukee, Wis	25	
Cincinnati, Ohio	4		Muncie, Ind	1	
Coffeyville, Kans	2		Nashville, Tenn	4	
Columbus, Ohio	2		New Orleans, La	1	
Danville, Ill	1		Portsmouth, Va	1	
Detroit, Mich	5		Providence, R. I	1	
Duluth, Minn	3		Racine, Wis	1	
Erie, Pa	1		Rockford, Ill	1	
Evansville, Ind	16		St. Joseph, Mo	2	
Kansas City, Kans	39		St. Louis, Mo	5	
Kokomo, Ind	1		Superior, Wis	3	
La Crosse, Wis	4		Toledo, Ohio	3	
Lexington, Ky	1		Zanesville, Ohio	2	

TYPHOID FEVER.

Idaho Report for February, 1914.

Places.	Number of new cases reported during month.
Idaho:	
Canyon County—	
Payette	3
Fremont County—	
Rexburg	1
Kootenai County—	
Harrison	2
Shoshone County	1
Wallace	1
Total	8

Idaho Report for March, 1914.

Places.	Number of new cases reported during month.
Idaho:	
Boise County—	
Garden Valley	1
Kootenai County—	
Harrison	2
Shoshone County	1
Total	4

TYPHOID FEVER—Continued.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914.

Place.	Cases.	Deaths.	Place.	Cases.	Deaths.
Baltimore, Md	3		Nashville, Tenn	2	1
Braddock, Pa	1		Newark, N. J	2	
Chelsea, Mass	1		New Castle, Pa	1	
Chicago, Ill	11	1	New Orleans, La	2	
Cincinnati, Ohio	1		Niagara Falls, N. Y	1	
Cleveland, Ohio	3	1	Oakland, Cal	1	
Columbus, Ohio	1		Philadelphia, Pa	19	4
Dayton, Ohio	1		Passaic, N. J		1
Detroit, Mich		1	Pittsburgh, Pa	2	1
Dunkirk, N. Y	8		Plainfield, N. J	1	
Erie, Pa	1		Providence, R. I	1	
Fall River, Mass	4		Reading, Pa	1	
Grand Rapids, Mich	2		Richmond, Va	2	
Harrisburg, Pa		1	Saginaw, Mich	3	
Jersey City, N. J	2		St. Joseph, Mo		1
Kansas City, Kans	1	2	St. Louis, Mo	6	1
Lancaster, Pa	2		San Francisco, Cal	5	1
Los Angeles, Cal	8	1	South Bethlehem, Pa	2	
Lowell, Mass	2		Springfield, Mass	1	
Lynn, Mass	2		Toledo, Ohio	4	
McKeesport, Pa	1		Washington, D. C	1	
Manchester, N. H	4	1	Worcester, Mass	1	
Milwaukee, Wis	5	1	York, Pa	1	

CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.

Idaho Report for February, 1914.

The State Board of Health of Idaho reported that during the month of February, 1914, 1 case of cerebrospinal meningitis had been notified at Pocatello, Bannock County, Idaho.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Aurora, Ill		1	New Orleans, La	2	2
Baltimore, Md		1	Philadelphia, Pa	1	
Boston, Mass	2	1	Pittsburgh, Pa	1	1
Butte, Mont	2	2	Pittsfield, Mass		2
Chicago, Ill	1		Richmond, Va		1
Cincinnati, Ohio		2	Rochester, N. Y		1
Cleveland, Ohio	4	3	St. Joseph, Mo	1	1
Columbus, Ohio	1		St. Louis, Mo	1	
Evansville, Ind	1	1	San Diego, Cal	1	1
Kansas City, Kans		1	San Francisco, Cal		1
Los Angeles, Cal	2	1	Toledo, Ohio	1	
Lowell, Mass	1		Washington, D. C	1	1
Newark, N. J	1		Yonkers, N. Y	1	1

POLIOMYELITIS (INFANTILE PARALYSIS.)

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914.

During the week ended April 25, 1914, poliomyelitis was notified by cities as follows: Boston, Mass., 1 death; Chicago, Ill., 3 cases; Springfield, Mass., 1 case with 1 death.

ERYSIPELAS.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Baltimore, Md.	1		Philadelphia, Pa.	19	5
Boston, Mass.		2	Pittsburgh, Pa.	3	
Bridgeport, Conn.	1		Rochester, N. Y.	5	
Buffalo, N. Y.	3	1	St. Joseph, Mo.	1	
Chicago, Ill.	27	4	St. Louis, Mo.	10	1
Cincinnati, Ohio	5	1	San Francisco, Cal.	3	
Cleveland, Ohio	5		Superior, Wis.	1	
Los Angeles, Cal.	4		Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	1	
Newark, N. J.		1	Wilkinsburg, Pa.	1	
New Orleans, La.		1	Yonkers, N. Y.	2	

LEPROSY.

California—Los Angeles County.

Senior Surg. Brooks, of the Public Health Service, reported May 2, 1914, that 2 cases of leprosy had recently been notified at Los Angeles, Cal., and that both patients had been placed in the Los Angeles County Hospital. One of the cases occurred in a Mexican laborer, 31 years of age, married, who had been employed in Los Angeles, and had resided in California 6 years. The disease first appeared 3 years ago. The other case was in a Mexican woman, 45 years of age, a resident of a suburb of Los Angeles, had lived in California 4 years, and previously in Brooklyn, N. Y., 4 years. The disease appeared 2 years ago.

PELLAGRA.

During the week ended April 25, 1914, 1 death from pellagra was notified at New Orleans, La., and 1 at South Bend, Ind.

PLAGUE.

Washington—Seattle—Plague-Infected Rat.

Surg. Lloyd, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph, May 8, 1914, the finding of a plague-infected rat at Seattle.

PNEUMONIA.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914.

Places.	Cases.	Deaths.	Places.	Cases.	Deaths.
Alameda, Cal.	1	1	Manchester, N. H.	3	3
Auburn, N. Y.	7	1	McKeesport, Pa.	2	
Beaver Falls, Pa.	1		Nashville, Tenn.		7
Binghamton, N. Y.	5	2	New Castle, Pa.	4	
Braddock, Pa.	6		Newport, Ky.	3	3
Chicago, Ill.	209	119	Philadelphia, Pa.	45	101
Cleveland, Ohio	21	11	Pittsburgh, Pa.	25	42
Columbus, Ind.	1	1	Reading, Pa.	6	8
Galesburg, Ill.	3	3	Rochester, N. Y.	9	13
Harrisburg, Pa.	1	2	San Francisco, Cal.	6	3
Kansas City, Kans.	8	13	Schenectady, N. Y.	5	3
Lancaster, Pa.	1		South Bethlehem, Pa.	3	
Los Angeles, Cal.	12	8	York, Pa.	1	

TETANUS.

During the week ended April 25, 1914, 1 death from tetanus was notified at Philadelphia, Pa., 1 at New York, N. Y., and 1 at Yonkers, N. Y.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN SPOTTED FEVER.

Montana—Missoula.

Surg. Fricks, of the Public Health Service, reported that during the week ended May 2, 1914, 2 fatal cases of Rocky Mountain spotted fever had been notified in Missoula, Mont.

SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, DIPHTHERIA, AND TUBERCULOSIS.

Duluth, Minn.—Scarlet fever.

Acting Asst. Surg. Cheney, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph that during the week ended May 9, 1914, 15 cases of scarlet fever had been notified in Duluth, Minn.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Scarlet fever.

Surg. Stoner, of the Public Health Service, reported by telegraph that during the week ended May 9, 1914, 81 cases of scarlet fever, with 3 deaths, had been notified in Pittsburgh, Pa., making a total of 3,329 cases, with 160 deaths, reported since August 1, 1913.

Idaho Reports for February and March, 1914.

The State Board of Health of Idaho reported that during the month of February, 1914, 30 cases of scarlet fever, 23 cases of measles, and 3 cases of diphtheria had been notified in the State of Idaho; and that during the month of March, 1914, 22 cases of scarlet fever, 35 cases of measles, and 7 cases of diphtheria had been notified.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914.

Cities.	Population, United States census 1910.	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tuberculosis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Over 500,000 inhabitants:										
Baltimore, Md	558,485	214	7	1	25	.....	14	1	26	27
Boston, Mass	670,585	281	46	3	72	4	102	.....	42	21
Chicago, Ill	2,185,283	735	117	15	181	3	111	7	189	93
Cleveland, Ohio	560,663	171	34	.....	41	.....	13	1	37	16
Philadelphia, Pa	1,549,008	598	60	8	402	2	62	6	36	58
Pittsburg, Pa	533,905	180	21	3	29	1	91	3	50	9
St. Louis, Mo	687,029	246	55	2	160	5	39	1	35	25
From 300,000 to 500,000 inhabitants:										
Buffalo, N. Y	423,715	.....	11	2	35	1	20	.....	31	13
Cincinnati, Ohio	364,463	140	16	2	7	0	9	.....	40	16
Detroit, , Mich	465,766	163	33	3	.....	3	28	3	.....	6
Los Angeles, Cal	319,198	106	5	.....	10	1	18	.....	58	18
Milwaukee, Wis	373,857	131	26	6	69	.....	44	4	18	14
Newark, N. J	347,469	115	31	1	144	2	54	.....	25	12
New Orleans, La	339,075	141	16	3	45	.....	17	.....	28	16
San Francisco, Cal	416,912	127	8	.....	82	.....	7	.....	16	18
Washington, D. C	331,069	104	11	.....	13	.....	1	.....	25	11

SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, DIPHTHERIA, AND TUBERCULOSIS—Contd.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914—Continued.

Cities.	Population, United States census 1910.	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tuberculosis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
From 200,000 to 300,000 inhabitants:										
Jersey City, N. J.	267,779	74	8	1	24	.....	36	.....	28	9
Kansas City, Mo.	248,381	84	3	.....	15	1	7	1	2	10
Providence, R. I.	224,326	77	7	1	18	3	8	.....	6	5
Rochester, N. Y.	218,149	90	9	1	83	2	23	2	7	7
From 100,000 to 200,000 inhabitants:										
Bridgeport, Conn.	102,054	29	4	2	5	1	1	.....	1	.....
Cambridge, Mass.	104,839	31	1	1	35	.....	15	.....	6	8
Columbus, Ohio.	181,548	68	3	.....	96	.....	3	.....	8	5
Dayton, Ohio.	116,577	.....	3	.....	6	.....	5	.....	1	.....
Fall River, Mass.	119,295	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	5	3
Grand Rapids, Mich.	112,571	39	5	.....	24	.....	9	1	.....	3
Lowell, Mass.	106,294	40	1	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	1	4
Nashville, Tenn.	110,364	48	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	5	6
Oakland, Cal.	150,174	28	3	.....	31	.....	3	1	4	2
Richmond, Va.	127,628	47	.....	.....	5	.....	1	.....	4	2
Toledo, Ohio.	168,497	68	1	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
Worcester, Mass.	145,986	46	8	2	24	1	5	.....	8	3
From 50,000 to 100,000 inhabitants:										
Altoona, Pa.	52,127	20	1	.....	12	1	5	.....	.....	.....
Bayonne, N. J.	55,545	21	3	.....	8	1	1	.....	.....	1
Brockton, Mass.	56,878	15	2	.....	6	.....	9	.....	6	2
Camden, N. J.	94,538	.....	3	.....	19	.....	5	.....	6	.....
Duluth, Minn.	78,466	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	20	1	3	5
Erie, Pa.	66,525	25	2	.....	12	.....	2	.....	9	.....
Evansville, Ind.	69,647	22	3	.....	15	.....	3	.....	1	3
Harrisburg, Pa.	64,186	26	.....	.....	31	.....	1	.....	7	1
Hartford, Conn.	98,915	42	6	.....	7	.....	4	.....	3	.....
Hoboken, N. J.	70,324	.....	3	.....	15	.....	6	.....	15	.....
Johnstown, Pa.	55,482	29	14	.....	7	.....	4	.....	.....	1
Lynn, Mass.	89,336	29	3	1	1	.....	8	.....	5	2
Manchester, N. H.	70,063	27	1	.....	2	.....	8	.....	2	2
New Bedford, Mass.	96,652	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	5	3
Passaic, N. J.	54,773	17	1	.....	7	.....	1	.....	6	2
Pawtucket, R. I.	51,622	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	2
Portland, Me.	58,571	29	1	1	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	3
Reading, Pa.	96,071	38	1	.....	7	.....	14	.....	3	1
Saginaw, Mich.	50,510	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	1	1
St. Joseph, Mo.	77,403	28	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	3	3
Schenectady, N. Y.	72,826	18	.....	.....	1	.....	6	.....	1	1
South Bend, Ind.	53,684	.....	2	.....	1	.....	4	.....	.....	2
Springfield, Ill.	51,678	13	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Springfield, Mass.	88,926	32	1	.....	15	.....	4	.....	4	3
Trenton, N. J.	96,815	49	4	.....	.....	.....	18	4	1	.....
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	67,105	29	4	1	98	1	10	1	1	1
Yonkers, N. Y.	79,803	26	7	.....	5	.....	7	.....	9	1
From 25,000 to 50,000 inhabitants:										
Atlantic City, N. J.	46,150	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	1	.....	2	.....
Auburn, N. Y.	34,668	11	.....	.....	19	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Aurora, Ill.	29,807	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	1
Austin, Tex.	29,860	10	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Binghamton, N. Y.	48,443	17	.....	.....	75	1	2	.....	2	1
Brookline, Mass.	27,792	6	3	.....	5	.....	2	.....	1	.....
Butte, Mont.	39,165	22	.....	.....	8	.....	7	1	5	4
Chelsea, Mass.	32,452	13	3	1	6	.....	3	.....	2	3
Chicopee, Mass.	25,401	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Danville, Ill.	27,871	8	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Orange, N. J.	34,371	.....	.....	.....	36	.....	8	.....	6	2
Elmira, N. Y.	37,176	18	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	2	1
Everett, Mass.	33,484	7	1	.....	2	.....	6	.....	1	.....
Fitchburg, Mass.	37,826	14	1	.....	2	.....	2	.....	1	.....
Haverhill, Mass.	44,115	13	1	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	2	.....
La Crosse, Wis.	30,417	11	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Lancaster, Pa.	47,227	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	1	.....
Lexington, Ky.	35,099	17	2	.....	47	.....	1	.....	.....	3
Little Rock, Ark.	45,941	16	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lynchburg, Va.	29,494	7	1	.....	6	.....	2	.....	2	1
Malden, Mass.	44,404	12	4	1	2	.....	8	.....	1	.....
McKeesport, Pa.	42,694	16	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	2
Newcastle, Pa.	36,280	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newport, Ky.	30,309	14	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	3	3
Newport, R. I.	27,149	10	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....

SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, DIPHTHERIA, AND TUBERCULOSIS—Contd.

City Reports for Week Ended Apr. 25, 1914—Continued.

Cities.	Population, United States census 1910.	Total deaths from all causes.	Diphtheria.		Measles.		Scarlet fever.		Tuberculosis.	
			Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
From 25,000 to 50,000 inhabitants—Continued.										
Newton, Mass.	39,806	11			6		4		2	
Niagara Falls, N. Y.	30,445	14			1					1
Orange, N. J.	29,630	14			14		5		5	3
Pittsfield, Mass.	32,121	11	3	1			8		1	
Portsmouth, Va.	33,190	10			10		1			1
Racine, Wis.	38,002	13	1				5	1	3	
Roanoke, Va.	34,874	14			44		5		1	1
Rockford, Ill.	45,401	11	3			1	3			1
Sacramento, Cal.	44,696	15	2	1					7	2
San Diego, Cal.	39,578	5					2		4	4
South Omaha, Nebr.	26,259	5								
Superior, Wis.	40,384	15	3				6			
Taunton, Mass.	34,259	14	1		1		4			1
Waltham, Mass.	27,834	9	1		5					
West Hoboken, N. J.	35,403		3	1			2			
York, Pa.	44,750		3	2	1				1	1
Zanesville, Ohio.	28,026		1							
Less than 25,000 inhabitants:										
Alameda, Cal.	23,333	3	1		10					
Ann Arbor, Mich.	14,817	13	1		1		1		4	
Beaver Falls, Pa.	12,191		1				2			
Braddock, Pa.	19,357				6		2			
Cambridge, Ohio.	11,327		1		7					1
Clinton, Mass.	13,075	7					1			
Coffeyville, Kans.	12,687				7					
Concord, N. H.	21,497	6								
Cumberland, Md.	21,839	9			1		6			
Columbus, Ind.	8,813	2	2	1	2				1	
Dunkirk, N. Y.	17,221						3			1
Galesburg, Ill.	22,089	8								
Harrison, N. J.	14,498		1				3			
Kearny, N. J.	18,659	4			1		1		1	1
Kokomo, Ind.	17,010	3					4			
Marinette, Wis.	14,610	2					1			
Massillon, Ohio.	13,879	1	1				1			
Medford, Mass.	23,150	11	2				8		1	2
Melrose, Mass.	15,715	7			1				1	
Moline, Ill.	24,199	6								1
Montclair, N. J.	21,550	11	1		44		1		2	2
Morristown, N. J.	12,507	9	1		1		1			
Muncie, Iowa.	24,005	9	2				3			
Muscatine, Iowa.	16,178	1								
Nanticoke, Pa.	18,877	9	1		1					
Newburyport, Mass.	14,949	7	1							1
North Adams, Mass.	22,019	8								
Northampton, Mass.	19,431	4			23		2		2	1
Palmer, Mass.	8,610	2								
Plainfield, N. J.	20,550				20				2	1
Portsmouth, N. H.	11,269		1				4			
Pottstown, Pa.	15,599	6			1					1
Rutland, Vt.	13,546	3					2			
Saratoga Springs, N. Y.	12,693	6			1					
South Bethlehem, Pa.	19,973	5	2		25					
Steelton, Pa.	14,246	4				1			1	
Wilkinsburg, Pa.	18,924		1				12		2	
Woburn, Mass.	15,308	6								